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CURRENT LOCAL LAONICS.

Brief Mention of What Is Going On In and About Titusville.

Mr. Arthur Brown went to Oak Hill Monday, returning the next day.

Send your watches for repairs to W. M. Woodward, Titusville. Work guaranteed.

Mrs. Sims, who has been stopping here for some time past, left last Friday afternoon for East Palatka.

Rev. A. D. Penney is assisting Mr. Goldsmith at the Eagle Clothing store during Mr. Rhodes' absence.

Mr. W. H. McFarland returned Wednesday from a few days' business trip to Jacksonville, Palatka and St. Augustine.

Mr. G. E. Murriel, representing the Baker & Holmes company, of Jacksonville, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Just come in and inspect our new line of MATTINGS, RUGS, PORTIERES, CURTAINS, Etc.
J. R. WALKER & CO.

Dr. S. W. Carroll returned home the first of the week from about a two weeks' stay in the mountains of North Georgia. His health was very much improved by the trip.

Mr. G. H. Belmore, of St. Augustine, relieved H. J. Shirley as car inspector at this place while the latter was at the railway hospital in St. Augustine for a few days.

Mr. Frank McFarland, of Connecticut, a brother of Mr. W. H. McFarland, arrived Tuesday to take the superintendency of the factory of the McFarland Fruit Protection company.

Mr. R. A. Bobbett expects to drive overland to Osteen today to spend a day or so there. He expects to bring Haywood Burney, colored, back with him to attend to the scavenger work for the town.

Mrs. G. M. Robbins and Mrs. W. S. Graham returned from their outing at Sea Breeze last Friday afternoon. Mrs. Graham and little Ralph and Harry returned to Miami, their home, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. DeCantillon Williams and son Harding, of Sea Breeze, left for the north Wednesday. They will spend several months with Mrs. Harding Williams, in Philadelphia. They go by steamer and travel with Mr. and Mrs. Clark, of Daytona.

Wanted: One young man from Brevard county, Florida, to prepare for the coming railway mail service examination. We furnish everything, including books and maps. Address inclosing stamps, Interstate Correspondence Institute, Cedar Rapids, Ia.

J. R. Walker & Co. will sell all second hand furniture at a sacrifice to make room for new goods. No more second hand furniture will be handled after present stock on hand is sold. Their stock of new furniture is now full and complete.

The excursion from Key West to Jacksonville over the F. E. C. railway Monday was very largely patronized from points along the lower end of the route. The round trip rate from here was only \$4.00, but few of our people seemed to be aware that there was to be an excursion until the day before, when so many empty coaches were carried south.

A large quantity of palmetto fiber has lately been hauled from the extract works and placed on Main street, leading from the bridge out westward to the park. This top dressing of fiber is not relished very much by the bicycle riders as it makes wheeling over the fiber very difficult, where before it was excellent except in very wet weather. Road Commissioner Walker did not know of the fiber being put down, and says, in his opinion, it is not an improvement on the former roadbed, which was fiber covered with shell.

John C. Jones, the well known Orlando lawyer, returned the first of the week from Dade county. He is making a close canvass for the position of states attorney, and, as THE STAR is informed, is "doing well." Mr. Jones is a straight Democrat, an accomplished lawyer, and a perfect gentleman. It will not discredit the well known ability of Judge Beggs for us to say that Mr. Jones is worthy of the support he is receiving. He has been a prominent leader in Orange county for nearly twenty years and has never been a candidate for office before. Mr. Jones left Tuesday for Daytona and points in Volusia county.

Boat and Yacht Sails.

Fit and workmanship guaranteed. Fish boat sails a specialty. All grommets handmade. Send for estimate.

H. BENEKE,
Titusville Florida.

Mrs. W. S. Norwood left yesterday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Mitchell, at Indianola.

Rev. J. E. Mickler will hold service in the Methodist church at this place next Sunday morning and evening.

Preaching in Presbyterian church next Sunday evening at 7:30; Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. J. A. Hughes, Pastor.

Dr. W. L. Hughlett, of Cocoa, has come up every day this week to see Mr. Johnnie Harris, who is very ill at this writing.

Beautiful line of Ladies' Silk Waist Patterns just received at
WALKER & CO'S.

Mr. L. C. Oliver passed through on the southbound train Sunday on his way home to Miami after spending about eighteen days in New York.

Mrs. R. A. Hardee, of Sebastian, arrived in town Sunday, and is stopping with Mrs. J. P. Brown for the purpose of assisting in nursing Johnnie Harris.

Rev. A. C. Sirdefield will preach next Sunday at Hardeeville at 10 a. m., and at City Point at 2 p. m. Union Sabbath school at City Point at 3 p. m. All are invited.

In the game between the local nines Saturday afternoon the Titusvilles severely worsted their opponents, the Seminoles, by a score of 11 to 5.

Mrs. W. F. Richards and baby, and Miss Una Miller, of Eden, who were visiting Mrs. Scobie and Mrs. Woodward last week, returned home last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. F. A. Losley and baby, Miss Daisy Williams and Miss Willie May Gould returned from a short visit to Cocoa Wednesday afternoon, where they went to have dental work done.

The Latest Fad—Polka Dot Velvet—for Ties and Belts, at
WALKER & CO'S.

Archdeacon B. F. Brown will hold divine service, with holy communion, Sunday, Sept. 2nd, in St. Marks church, Cocoa, at 10:30 a. m., also in St. Gabriels church, Titusville, at 7:30 p. m.

Mr. W. J. Crayford moved his stock of groceries into the building he recently purchased yesterday, and is now ready to attend to all his patrons at the new stand, the white painted grocery store on Main street.

Mrs. T. W. Anderson, of Stuart, arrived Tuesday to spend a week with her mother, Mrs. J. N. Feaster, at LaGrange. The little Misses Ethel and Helen Wilson, who have been at Stuart several weeks, returned home with Mrs. Anderson.

Supt. H. B. Shaw, seventh life saving service district, of Ormond, accompanied by his little son, arrived in town Monday in a small sail boat, having made a pleasant cruise down the Halifax and Mosquito lagoons to this place. Here he met Rev. John A. Hughes and by invitation took a short cruise down the river with the latter in the schooner Elna. Capt. Shaw will make a trip through his entire life saving district for inspecting the houses of refuge, taking the railroad at any convenient place as circumstances warrant.

NEW WHITE STORE.

W. J. CRAYFORD, Groceries and Provisions, Titusville.

Removal of Postoffice.

Mr. R. C. Scrimgeour will take charge of the postoffice at the close of today's business. Tomorrow patrons will be served from the Scrimgeour building, corner Main street and Washington avenue. We feel sure that we are voicing the sentiment of this town as well as ourselves in saying that the retiring postmaster, Mr. John C. Jones, has given us as good if not the best service this place has ever had. His courteousness and his willingness to accommodate the patrons of the office has earned for him the high esteem of all, and we regret to lose him. A great many patrons will also, no doubt, find room for complaint because the new change takes the office further from the commercial center of the town, and transfers it from a brick building into a wooden structure, but this right is claimed by the new incumbent, and he states that the change will enable him to give better service than though he retained the office in its present location.

Orders for wall paper taken.

Gardner's.

List of Appointments.

The dates and places fixed by the state Democratic executive committee for speaking during the coming campaign are as follows:

- Sept. 3—Miami, night.
- " 4—West Palm Beach, day.
- " 5—Titusville, night.
- " 6—Daytona, day.
- " 7—St. Augustine, night.
- " 8—Fernandina, night.

LATEST NEWS AND INCIDENTS.

Matters of Interest That Are Happening Around Town.

Mr. W. J. Crayford and family will occupy the Rice cottage on Hopkins street.

Editor E. D. Oslin, of Southern Pines, N. C., paid his relatives at Melbourne a visit from Saturday until Tuesday.

Mr. J. L. Carruthers has just lately had his tonsorial parlors repapered, improving the interior appearance very much.

Mr. C. H. Walton, of the Advocate, expects to leave today for the White Mountains, N. H., to spend a few weeks.

Messrs. W. E. Vanlandingham and E. E. Knox have both returned from their Georgia trip and report a magnificent time.

Battenberg patterns, braids, thread and rings, just in. Chas. A. Gardner.

Mr. Harry Roberts, of Mims, sailed from Liverpool yesterday, and is expected to arrive home by the 10th of September.

Mr. Ernest Vanlandingham is able to be about again, but has been quite ill with fever since his return from Georgia last Saturday.

Miss Mabel Sembler, accompanied by her brother's two children, expects to leave tomorrow for Tavares to visit her mother for a month or six weeks.

Engineer F. Baldwin and wife, arrived home Sunday from a two weeks' visit to friends in Illinois and Missouri. They report a splendid trip and an excellent time.

A quantity of fibre suitable for paths or roads may be had free of cost at the works of the Florida Extract company, or delivered inside the town limits for 25 cents per large load.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wilson moved from Mrs. Gray's boarding house Monday morning to the building known as the Paddison cottage, on Julia street, which is also occupied by Mr. B. L. Contant and family.

Dr. M. D. L. Dodson has purchased seven acres of land on Main street just west of the park hammock from Capt. Rice. We hear that the doctor is thinking of going extensively in the raising of chickens.

We hear, but with how much truth we are not able to state, that the Republicans and Independents are about to bring out candidates for county judge and superintendent of public instruction in this county.

J. R. Walker & Co. are receiving new goods every day, and every line handled is complete. They can supply the wants of the people with anything in the way of dry goods, notions, millinery and furniture.

Messrs. Philip LeBlanc, of Memphis, Tenn., and Will Underwood, of New Orleans, arrived in town Monday and spent a day here very pleasantly. There must have been some attraction here for one of these two young men to have drawn them so far away from their business route as Jacksonville.

Advertising in THE STAR pays. Two or three weeks ago advertised property in this paper was traced, directly, to be sold by a small local ad, two insertions, while before that it had been freely advertised in another of the county papers with no results. Two weeks ago some property was advertised for sale. The first week was sufficient. Before the following Friday arrived we received word to take the ad. out. We could cite many similar instances, but we do not care to inflict our readers constantly with such bragadoocio. When you want to reach the people advertise in THE STAR always.

We are in receipt of a card announcing the marriage of Mr. Joel A. Dean, and Miss Sara Moses, which occurred on the 22nd inst. in Lowell, Mass., to which locality Mr. Dean proceeded early in the month. Mr. Dean is one of the editors and proprietors of the Lake Worth News, published at West Palm Beach, while the bride was formerly a resident of Indian river, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace R. Moses, now resident of West Palm Beach. We suspected something of the kind was likely to happen when we bid Mr. Dean an adieu at the Fort Pierce convention. The young couple have the hearty congratulations of THE STAR.

FOR SALE.

Lightwood posts for pineapple sheds, windbreaks and fence posts. Write for special prices in car lots. Address F. W. White, agent for F. H. Allen, Roseland, Fla.

It's a doctor's business to study health, doctors confidently recommend HARPER whiskey. Sold by Losley & Motlow, Titusville, Fla.

Judge J. W. Price, of DeLand, arrived in town yesterday on some legal business.

Mr. J. Kline expects to leave tomorrow for New York to select his fall stock of goods.

Mrs. James Greek left yesterday for Fort Pierce to meet her husband, who is located there for the present.

Mr. S. N. Gladwin went to Palatka Wednesday on a business trip, and is expected to return home this afternoon.

Judge M. S. Jones went to Jacksonville and St. Augustine Wednesday, and is expected to return home this afternoon.

Mrs. Gray, of Mims, who has been visiting her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Julia B. Gray, returned home the first of the week.

Jas. E. Andrews, of Tibbals, spent a few days in Jacksonville this week returning home yesterday, but is expected to arrive here this afternoon.

Mrs. Geo. M. Robbins has been quite ill this week, suffering with a severe attack of malarial fever, but at this writing we are pleased to state that she is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forster and little daughter, of Orchid, have left Florida for a couple of months, and are stopping in Kankakee, Ill. They left here last Friday afternoon.

Mr. Richard Gladwin, who left Miami Tuesday for this place in his popular launch, the Hyephus, arrived last night. He will remain at home with his parents for some time.

Miss Bessie Hall returned home Wednesday from her visit to friends on Merritts Island. She was accompanied by the Misses Alice and Beatrice Sanders, of Indianola, who will visit Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hall for a while.

A bicycle and a buggy collided on the fiber road at the corner of Mr. Wetmore's yard Wednesday night. Mr. Bobbett was riding the bike and Mrs. Daniels, of Sunbeam, was driving the buggy. Mr. Bobbett's eyesight is not very good, and he did not see the buggy until it struck his front wheel. He was dragged a short distance and his foot injured somewhat. The front rim of the bicycle was broken.

McFarland's monkey got away from its quarters Saturday and created quite a furore for a while among the residents of South Titusville. Patsy, the monkey, is inclined to be a little vicious toward children, and, on several occasions, has bitten the children of Mr. Geo. M. Robbins, the adjoining neighbor on the north. For some hours it was a hopeless task of recapturing Patsy, during which time the ladies of that part of town barricaded themselves in doors. The animal was finally caught, and it is hoped Mr. McFarland will keep him up securely after this.

OUTING FLANNELS.

The prettiest line ever shown in Titusville at WALKER & CO'S.

AT COST—Commencing Tuesday, Sept. 4th, our entire stock of French's Perfume.
WILSON & SON.

Special Term Circuit Court.

The following notice was issued from the executive chamber in Tallahassee, Saturday, Aug. 25:

Whereas, it is officially made known to me that the Hon. Minor S. Jones, judge of the Seventh judicial circuit court, is disqualified to try certain cases now pending in said court, and to be tried at a special term of said court, beginning at Titusville, the county site of Brevard county, Fla., September 17, A. D. 1900.

Now, therefore, be it known that, acting under authority vested in the governor by section 1374 of the revised statutes of the state of Florida, I do hereby appoint and assign the Hon. Joseph B. Wall, judge of the Sixth judicial circuit court of the state of Florida, to hold the special term of the circuit court called for Brevard county, Fla., to begin Monday, the 17th day of September, A. D. 1900.

W. D. BROWN,
Governor of Florida.

Aside from a few criminal cases, we understand that several chancery cases will be tried at this special term.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR STATE'S ATTORNEY.

At the solicitation of many friends throughout the circuit, I announce myself as a candidate for state's attorney of the Seventh judicial circuit of Florida, and respectfully request the support of the Democratic voters of the circuit for the place, at the primary to be held on Nov. 6th, 1900.

JOHN C. JONES.

FOR STATE'S ATTORNEY.

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JAMES D. BRIGGS.

BITS OF FACT AND GOSSIP.

Current Events of the Present Week Portrayed in Brief.

The steam tug Guiterno Lopez, with two cattle schooners from Havana, is in port at Miami awaiting the arrival of 500 head of beef cattle, which they will transport to Havana. The cattle are expected to arrive from Fort Pierce.

George C. Currie, of Montana, arrived in Miami Monday. Mr. Currie, four years ago, was in the office of Messrs. Robbins, Graham & Chillingworth, at West Palm Beach. He has accepted a position as chief clerk with Hon. F. S. Morse, in Miami.

Our correspondent from Tillman writes that a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Yowell a few days ago. Mrs. R. A. Conkling has lately returned home from a visit to friends at Bonaventure. Tony Conova's mother, also her daughter, of Rockledge, are guests of Mrs. J. M. Minor for a few days.

One of the hardest fought primaries ever held in Osceola county took place last week, Saturday. The main contests were for representative, clerk of the court and sheriff. The returns indicate the nomination of the present officers, J. W. Watson, representative; J. W. Lee, clerk; and C. F. Prayatt, sheriff.

Dr. J. M. Jackson, of Miami, a few days ago received a very handsome heavy gold Masonic watch charm by express. It was a mystery, but on taking out the soft, fleecy cotton he found underneath a card with this inscription: "Walter S. Graham, Miami, Fla." Dr. Graham is now visiting in New York and Philadelphia.

Thomas MacKail, the alleged newspaper correspondent, who was arrested Tuesday at Jacksonville for defrauding the government, was given a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner H. C. Goodell, and was held in default of a \$300 bond to await the action of the United States court, which convenes in December.

Mr. Leslie N. Wilkie, of Jacksonville, left last week for Bethlehem, N. H., where he will spend a few days with his wife and daughter. Afterwards they will all go to Nova Scotia to visit his mother and other relatives. Mr. Wilkie has large mining interests in Nova Scotia, and will spend the greater part of his time while there in enlarging his business.

FINE LINE of NOTIONS and NOVELTIES, consisting of Ladies' Neckwear, Combs, Belts, Ribbons, Etc., at
WALKER & CO'S.

Card of Thanks.

To the members of the Democratic county convention and the people of Brevard county:

Allow me to thank you kindly for the confidence you have reposed in me by re-nominating me for clerk of the circuit court. I promise you all that I will try to serve the people in the future as faithfully as I have done in the past.

Again thanking you for the honor, I remain,
Yours faithfully,

A. A. STEWART.

Titusville, Fla., Aug. 30th, 1900.

FRESH stock of PATTERN HATS, Fall and Winter Millinery of all kinds, just opened up at
WALKER & CO'S.

OSTEEN.

Winn & Carns, turpentine men at Lake Ashby, near here, have bargained off their place to a Georgia firm.

A. P. Osteen is over at Maitland to see his aunt, Mrs. E. Turner, and his uncle, Mr. J. W. Osteen, of Jacksonville, who is also visiting there.

Mr. Smith, who has been spending his winters and the last summer here, has made arrangements to go into the mercantile business in Daytona.

Mr. N. H. Clark, who has been in the turpentine business here for the last three years, sold out his interest and left last Saturday with his family for Savannah.

C. M. Prevatt was here to buy cattle for a Tampa firm, but a buyer here ahead of him had the refusal of them for this month. He could not buy, but will return in case of a failure of the first man.

There was a shooting affair in the turpentine camps here Sunday evening, in which one negro shot another with small shot, but the wound was not serious. He returned the fire with a pistol, but missed.

WANTED.

Men to cut cross ties. Call or write, Contractor, Box 200, Roseland, Fla.

GASOLINE ENGINES.

Illustrated folder free. Address W. P. UNDERWOOD, Agt., Roseland, Fla.